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Very truly yours,
CHARLES P. SAPP,
Editor Virginian-Pilot.

Norfolk Dispatch.
Norfolk, Va., Nov. 2.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—In answer to your questions, would say; first, that I do favor the primary plan for choosing candidates; second, that I do not favor the viva voce system of voting either in primaries or in the general election.

So far as the general sentiment of the Tidewater communities is concerned, would say that I have heard absolutely no endorsement of the viva voce system of voting, and have not heard a single objection to the primary plan of making nominations. The viva voce system has not had a fair trial in our section; but the objections expressed to it are fundamental. I am

Very truly yours,
JAMES M. THOMSON,
Editor Dispatch.

Fairfax Herald.
Fairfax, Va., Oct. 31.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Replying to your inquiries, I would say:

1. I doubt if it will prove satisfactory, but am willing to give it a fair trial.
2. No.
3. No special feeling has been manifested on the subject. Such expressions as have been heard have been adverse to the viva voce plan.

S. R. DONOHUE,
Editor Fairfax Herald.

Staunton Argus.
Staunton, Va., Oct. 31.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Below you will find my replies to your several questions:

1. Do you favor the primary plan?
Yes.
2. Do you favor the viva voce of voting?
No.
3. What is the general sentiment of the people in your community on these two questions?

They favor the primary plan, but do not like the viva voce style of voting. In the recent primary many business men failed to vote, for the reason that they and their clerks had friends among the candidates and did not care to make their preferences a matter of public record.

Respectfully,
J. B. BURWELL,
Editor Argus.

Franklin Graphic.
Franklin, Va., Nov. 2.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Your letter received, gives me pleasure to answer your questions.

Answer to No. 1. Yes. heartily.
Answer to No. 2. Have always been and am now opposed to viva voce voting.
Answer to No. 3. The great majority of people in this county and section favor making nominations by primary, but are opposed to the viva voce method of voting.

Yours fraternally,
J. PETER HOLLAND,
Editor Graphic.

Clinch Valley News.
Tazewell, Va., Nov. 2.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Replying to your letter of October 28th. Neither plan to which you refer has been tried in this county, and, therefore, I am unable to say what the general sentiment is among the people. I do not think, however, that viva voce voting will be acceptable to our people. This is a personal and private opinion, based upon a few expressions heard from some of our citizens.

I have heard no particular objections made to the primary plan.

Yours very truly,
J. A. LEBLIE,
Editor News.

Danville Methodist.
Danville, Va., Nov. 2, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Referring to your circular letter of inquiry, dated October 28th, I have this to say:

There has been no primary held in Dan-

ville under the new plan. I think it the best possible way of securing the will of the people in nominating candidates for office.

2. Personally, I very much favor the viva voce voting, but it is not a popular method with the masses.

3. The general sentiment in Pittsylvania county after the recent primary held is decidedly against the primary plan. It has given general complaint among the voters of this county; indeed, many say they will never take part in another primary election under the same plan.

Yours fraternally,
E. G. MOSELEY,
Editor The Methodist.

Staunton Spectator.
Staunton, Va., Nov. 2, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Dear Sir,—In reply to yours of recent date, will say that I am in favor of the primary plan with the ballot.

The viva voce feature is, I believe, unwise as a party measure and unpopular.

As far as I am able to judge by a general expression of opinion, the people of Staunton and Augusta county are very largely in favor of a primary for the selection of city and county nominees. But in State and district politics there is a demand for the convention method of selection, as it is contended that none but candidates of means can meet the legitimate expenses of a general primary.

Popular sentiment in this community is opposed to the viva voce feature of the primary, and the publicity of it has, to my knowledge, caused many party men to decline to vote. Among the older voting population there is a sentiment in favor of the viva voce plan, as that feature revives the accepted method of voting in ante-bellum days; but this class is of necessity a small minority of the party strength.

Very truly yours,
A. S. MORTON,
Editor Spectator.

Claremont Herald.
Claremont, Va., Oct. 31, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—In answer to yours of October 28th, will say:

1. Yes.
2. No.
3. General sentiment seems to be for primary, though a majority of the county Executive Committee opposed it.

WILL H. STEVENS,
Editor Herald.

Salem Times-Register.
Salem, Va., Oct. 31, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Answering your circular letter just received, I beg to say:

1. I earnestly favor the primary plan.
2. I am opposed to the viva voce system of voting, because I think it tends to lessen interest in primary contests and materially decreases the vote that should be polled.

3. So far as I am able to judge by expressions of opinion, the general sentiment of the people of this community on these two questions is in favor of the primary plan and opposed to viva voce voting. Of course, some favor other systems, but my impression is that the prevailing sentiment is above outlined. With best wishes, I am

Yours fraternally,
CHAS. D. DENIT,
Editor Times-Register.

Wytheville Dispatch.
Wytheville, Va., Oct. 31, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Dear Sir,—In response to your questions, I reply:

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3. The people of Wythe seem to have endorsed the primary plan by the large turnout in the recent primary. The general sentiment is opposed to the viva voce system.

Very truly yours,
ALEX. FORWARD,
Editor Dispatch.

Floyd Press.
Floyd, Va., Nov. 2, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Dear Sir,—In reply to yours of the 28th ult. in regard to ascertaining the true sentiment of the people in this county on the primary plan of choosing candidates and the viva voce mode of voting, will say that I am not very well

posted on these questions, but will answer them to the best of my judgment.

1. Yes.
2. No.
3. The people in general favor the primary system, as by it you get the sense of a majority of the voters. The viva voce plan of voting is condemned, the people preferring to vote by secret ballot.

Believing this to be the true sentiment of the people of this county, and trusting that this answer will serve your purpose, I beg to remain

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Editor Press.

Nelson County Times.
Lovingston, Va., Nov. 3, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—In answer to your queries:

1. Yes.
2. Personally, I see no good reason why the viva voce feature should not be retained.

3. Sentiment is somewhat divided, but I think that in favor of the primary plan predominates. But a majority seem to oppose the viva voce system.

Respectfully,
M. J. WEBB,
Editor Times.

Fredericksburg Free Lance.
Fredericksburg, Va., Nov. 3, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Replying to your several questions, I would state, first, that whilst the primary plan is objectionable for many reasons, it is necessary to adopt some means for determining the choice of a party for a candidate where there are a number of aspirants for the same position, and no plan could probably be devised which would not be unsatisfactory in many instances to the defeated candidates. Except in cases where the minority party would possibly secure the election owing to the number of candidates of the majority party, a free-for-all fight seems preferable. In that case there can be but one election, whilst, with the primaries, when there are several candidates, there are frequently two elections, with the primary as the most bitter of the two. The primary plan has caused a great amount of bitterness within the party.

In answer to your second question, I do not favor the viva voce of voting, and do not believe that it will ever become popular with the masses. There are a great many quiet, deserving citizens who do not meddle in politics, and many of them would stay away from the polls rather than publicly announce the names of the candidates for whom they vote.

The primary does not seem to arouse enthusiasm within the party, as the vote in the counties in this section in the primaries has been extremely small. The people seem to prefer the old-fashioned style of convention nominations.

Very truly,
A. P. ROWE,
Editor Free Lance.

Falls Church Messenger.
Falls Church, Va., Nov. 24, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—In reply to your favor of October 28th, will say:

I don't suppose my opinion on the primary election plan will carry very great weight, as I am a Republican. I think, however, the general sentiment of the Democrats of this community are in favor of the present primary election plan, with slight modifications.

Yours very truly,
M. E. CHURCH,
Editor Messenger.

Blackstone Courier.
Blackstone, Va., Nov. 24, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Replying to your questions in the order asked, will say:

1. Am in favor of the primary plan, provided the viva voce feature is retained. Should the secret method be adopted, am fearful that the charges of fraud would be made, whether actually committed or not, and there would certainly be a temptation to commit where partisan feeling ran high between friends of opposing candidates.

2. Personally, am in favor of viva voce method in all elections, but recognizing the many conditions, especially in the cities, and where large corporations control many voters, there is a question with me whether it is best for the State at large.

3. I believe the general sentiment is in favor of the primary, but not for the viva voce feature. This latter objection is in favor of the viva voce plan, as that feature revives the accepted method of voting in ante-bellum days; but this class is of necessity a small minority of the party strength.

Very truly yours,
W. A. LAND,
Editor Courier.

Montgomery Messenger.
Montgomery, Va., Oct. 31, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—In reply to your circular letter of October 28th, with great willingness, I am very much in favor of the primary plan of choosing candidates. If there is any reason why that plan is illogical, I will apply equally well to our general system of elections. The nearer we get to the body of the people the greater the safety of our political institutions; and, certainly the farther away we get from them, the greater the danger. That is my principal reason for favoring the primary, as against the viva voce method of voting. It is calculated to deter the very element which we are trying to attract from taking part in primary contests, thereby turning the primaries over to the quasi professional element. Our people will never turn out generally to a primary, for local offices, particularly, where the viva voce method is employed.

I believe that in the answers above given I have voiced the prevailing Democratic sentiment of Rockingham county. Very truly yours,
A. H. SNYDER,
Editor Register.

Rockingham Register.
Rockingham, Va., Nov. 3, 1903.

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Sir,—Replying to your inquiry of the 28th ult., I beg to say:

1. That I am heartily in favor of the primary plan for the nomination of all officers who are voted for by the people.
2. I am opposed to the viva voce method of voting. It is calculated to deter the very element which we are trying to attract from taking part in primary contests, thereby turning the primaries over to the quasi professional element. Our people will never turn out generally to a primary, for local offices, particularly, where the viva voce method is employed.

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Editor Free Press.

Bristol Herald.
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States Senator down, so nominated. I believe that every nominee should represent the will of his party as nearly as it is possible to secure the popular expression, and that no man who feels himself to be the choice of his people could object to having his name passed upon by them.

The viva voce system of voting, I think, should be abolished. It appears to be the one obstruction to the complete success of the primary plan. It does not prevent fraud and does embarrass the voter.

It is impossible for me to say what the prevailing sentiment in this section is in this regard. I believe the primary plan is popular, and that with the elimination of the viva voce system of voting it will be given full and earnest support. The Herald advocates the primary plan.

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2. Do you favor the viva voce mode of voting?
3. What is the general sentiment of the people in your community on these two questions?

In reply to the first question, I say, I do.

Secondly, I prefer a perfectly secret ballot, if it can be made secure from fraudulent manipulation. If not, I would like to see the viva voce system adopted. In reply to the third question, I have to say that I have never heard very much discussion of the matter, but am of the opinion that a large majority of our people of all sorts and conditions desire an honest ballot, and would prefer a secret ballot, provided it can be made honest.

Yours fraternally,
D. S. LEWIS.

Roanoke Times.
Roanoke, Va., Nov. 23, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Replying to your recent inquiry, I beg to say that I strongly favor the primary as a mode of nominating and that I am opposed to the viva voce plan of voting. In both respects I think I am so fortunate as to agree with the prevailing Democratic sentiment in this city and section.

Yours very truly,
WALTER E. ADDISON,
Editor Roanoke Times.

Suffolk Herald.
Suffolk, Va., Nov. 3, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Replying to yours of the 28th ult., I beg to answer your questions as follows:

1. I do not favor the primary plan for all officers, but I am opposed to repealing

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No. 3. What is the general sentiment of the people in your community on these two questions?

Same as above.

Editorial from Bedford Bulletin, September 24, 1903:

The primary plan has been used in Bedford county since 1895. It was demanded by the people, and it has proven most satisfactory. There has never been a single instance that we can recall where the result of a primary was not cheerfully acquiesced in, and all factions gaily agreed to support the nominees. In the old convention system there has been such dissatisfaction that independents have been encouraged to come out. In a convention, however representative it may be, a few leaders will control, while in a primary the vote in one section can offset another, and a true majority rule. Each man has the same vote in a primary as another, and if he doesn't exercise his privilege it is his own fault. The people do not like the viva voce system, but even then the vote in Saturday's primary was nearly as large as usual. Take this feature away, and no more satisfactory method could be devised.

This is the general sentiment of all our people. Could the people have a fair opportunity to express their wish in each precinct, without price or canvass, a primary would be the thing. As they have been conducted here, sentiment is very equally divided.

Respectfully,
LEONARD COX,
Editor Gazette.

Charlotte Gazette.
Charlotte, C. H. Va., Nov. 3, 1903.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—I have delayed answer to yours of recent date because yesterday was our County Court day, and I thought I might have opportunity to see leading men from all parts of the county and gain some definite idea as to "primary." For myself, I am so wedded to old methods I am opposed to "rings," anything like coercion in politics; an "all-day primary" is expensive. With us it has been preceded by an active canvass. A clique controls a majority of the precincts, and thus nominates the candidates. With us the "primary" has been the cause of much trouble, and the election of House Delegates has represented the clique, and not the people.

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